GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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RAILWAYS EARNING THROUGH FREIGHT AND PARCEL
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the revenue earned by the Railways from freight and parcel charges during each of the last three years; and

(b) the total volume of goods carried by the Railways during each of the last three years?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R.VELU)

(a): The Revenue earned by the Railways from Freight and Parcel Charges during the last three years are as under:

(Rs.in crore)

Years	Freight	Parcel Charges
2002-03	26504.82	452.56
2003-04	27617.96	443.98
2004-05	30788.40#	485.20#

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(b): Total volume of goods carried by the Railways

Year	Revenue Freight Loading (million tones)
2002-03	518.74
2003-04	557.39
2004-05	601.89#

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